# The Wichita Engle.

TWO DOLLARS PER YEAR, IN ADVANCE.

THE EATES we have established for advertising will be strictly adhered to in every instance. They are as low as charged by a majority of the papers in the West, and as low as any paper furnished on a firm and lasting basis, with a large circulation, will do business. We think business men can get value received by advertising with us. We ask no one to patronize us out of charity, and do not want a man's money unless we give him value received. We could easily fill our columns with foreign advertisements, bumougs, patent medicines, etc., at less than our regular rates. But we hope that we never will be compelled to do so. Nothing speaks so well for a town and the enterprise of its citizens—its growth and prosperity—as the columns of the local paper well filled with home advertisements of home trade and business. We shall charge all alike, foreign and local, and shall not deviate from our established rates. No display type larger than Pica will be used in these columns, and in no case will cuts, or black and unseenly illustrations be admitted into this paper.

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London and Wellington—Arrives Tuesdays and
Fridays. Departs Wednesdays and Saturdays.
Dry Creek, Clarion and Clear Water—Arrive
and depart Wednesdays, once a week.
On and after date the postoffice will be open for
the delivery of letters and the sale of stamps from
7% A. M. 10 8% F. M.

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CAMPBELL

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Clerk District Court—John McIvor.
Probate Judge—Ww. Baldowin.
Superinformers Public Instruction—W. C. Lit-

TLE.
Register of Deeds—Jon's McIvon. County Attorney-H. C. SLUSS. County Surveyor-Jons A. Shoufe

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Meets every Sabbath, at the Presbytern Church, FIRST ARKANSAS VALLEY BANK at 9½ o'clock A. M.
Meets every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at
the School House.

DOUGLAS AVENUE, near corner of Law-rence. A. Arix, Register; W. A. Shax. No., Receiver. Office hours from 9 to 12 A. M.

A TTORNEY-AT-LAW, Wichita, Sedgwick county, Kansas, Will practice in the State courts and attend to business connected with the

GEORGE SALISBURY, TTORNEY-AT-LAW, Wichita, Kansas

W. H. KNAPP.

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Wichita, Sedgwick county, Kansas, Will
practice in all the courts in the Thirteenth Judictal District and attend to contest cases in the
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JAMES McCULLOCH,

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Will practice in all the Federal and Inferior ONLY FIRST CLASS HOTEL.

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DR. A. J. LANGSDORF.

Physicians and surgeons. Office at J. P. Allen's drug store, Main street, Wichita. Main street, Wichita, Kansas,

PHYSICIAN, SURGEON and Acconcheur, Ortice first door south of Woodman's store, Main street, Wichita, Kansas.

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CHARLES GERARD. FRENCH JEWELER, and Goldsmith. Satisfaction guaranteed as to styles and charges. Any design of pin, ring or charm made on short notice. Main sreet, opposite Blue Store, Wichita, Kansas.

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KEYSTONE RESTAURANT. Everything clean and neat. Meals at all hours got up on sort notice. No. 31 Main street, Wichita.

### MILLINERY.

MRS. M. MCADAMS, MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING. Dealer in Fancy Goods. The latest styles received as soon as out. Wichita, Kansas. MRS. ANNIE WATSON MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING of the

HOTELS. M UNGER HOUSE, D. S. Munger, Proprie-tor, Wichita, Kansas. Good meals and clean beds. Two dollars per day.

FRANK TULLY. DEALER IN ALL THE BEST BRANDS OF Cigars and Tobacco. Constantly on hand a full line of Tobacco Store goods. Store in post-Cigars and Tobacco. Constantly on hand a ine of Tobacco Store goods. Store in postoffice building, Wichita

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J. T. HOLMES. DEALER IN BOOKS, STATIONERY, WIND-

SHAVING SALOONS. J. B. THOMPSON. BARBER AND HAIR-DRESSER, Shaving,

DHair-cutting and dressing done in the lates style of art. Baths, hot or cold, feets. No. 73 Main street, Wichita. SALOONS. LITTLE BROWN JUG.

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-OF-

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Interest allowed on time deposits.

Collections promptly attended to.

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No. 35 Main street, Wichita.

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BLOOD & COX, Proprietors,

WICHITA, - - KANSAS.

Best and Most Complete House

In Southwestern Kansas, and the

IN THE TOWN.

SADDLERY.

Revenue Stamps for sale. Possessing ample facilities for the advantageous conduct of our business, we promise to all our customers the most favorable rates and the customers detection.

the upper hand."

"Well, you know there's nigh onto thirty thousand coming to Irene Wyer, in her own right, and I've took the best kind of keer of it. It's been a mighty sight of trouble to me, and all along I've thought of son Scott." "Scott Dilsep?" interrupted Joe,

"He won't be long. He's coming Scott has done splendidly well." home inside of six monihs, and I want went away, and so did she to him."

matter up. A TTORNEYS-AT-LAW, 116 Main street, Wichita, Kansas.

This is a large three-story house, just completed and newly furnished throughout. It is the gets gome. I'll give you the biggest ponents, in the wind of a fee,"

When women ponents, in the wind of a fee, "

When women ponents, in the wind of a fee,"

case, but I'll take it on one condition," coolly replied the young lawyer. "What's that?"

liberty to back out."

let me know in time."

congratulate himself on his admirable selection, and chuckle in his inmost being as he with selection, and chuckle in his inmost being as he with selection and decay for all such but stagnation and decay for all such selection and the well constitute the well consti trived success of Joe's maneuvers, cowardly spirits that dare not compete mutual friends, parties, and entertainments of various and work grows easy and becomes that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and entertainments of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and becomes the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and becomes the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and the boys now-a-days do with their parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and becomes the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and the parties of various and the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and the parties of various that during the whole of that time his invite or unposes the parties of various and va

devised by which she was made to ap- Interesting Anecdotes of T B. Read.

Then, too, there were the home evensubtle-minded oid plotter could have sat by and witnessed with his own eyes the admirable manner in which Joe Gaines worked for his fee.

"It takes a lawver, after all," he said to himself. "I don't care very much what he charges, I only hope he'll keep it up that way till Scott gets home again. And then to see Bob Humphrey! Why, the feiler's got the perseverance of a saint, but he ain't

no where to Joe Gaines." As for frene Wyer herself, her red lips laughed and pouted and ber bright black eyes sparkled and deepened, and her life seemed flowing onward very pleasantly, as if no deep-laid plots or it all Joe Gaines seemed to maintain the most complete external semblance asked. of frank-hearted friendship with Bob Hamphrey. Odd as it may seem, the though covert, encomiums which the DINNER, DINNER!" good deacon's heart compelled him to preciation of his young friend's fact

and management. Time will fly, however, and the mails at last brought to the Dilstep Dilstep to his mother, his sister and Irene Wyer, and even to his old cronies and schoolmates. Joe Gaines and Bob Humphrey, and to each one he had doubtless some matter of special interest to communicate.

No noisy, smoky, disgusting railway trains as yet vexed the retirement and repose of the village, but at last, on a morning when all things were in a state of almost painful expectancy of his arrival, not the ordinary stage

In an instant the little veranda was ting other folks know how the thing veranda for a moment, while he aided was done. When a man is accustomed the movement of a graceful, well-fato have his own way, he makes up his vored, dark-featured young lady, who mind pretty easily; but there was one followed him, and whom even in the point of all others upon which Deacon first warmth of his "welcome home," Dilsep had been set and fixed for years, he introduced as "my wife, my Lucia." and the care of which laid heavily on Maggie Dilsep hugged and kissed his mind, for the time had come when, her, and so did Irene Wyer, and so, in quired to be planned, and all his skill a moment more, did old Mrs. Dilsep, quired to be planned, and all his skill exercised in carrying it out. To a mind like his, that had taken a perfect Gaines and Bob Humphrey were fairly measure of every other in the village, boisterous. In fact, Scott Dilsep's California bride was so overcome by the warmth of her greeting that the poor young thing forgot her pride and burst into tears. In half a minute after to be talking so confidently with Joe that there wasn't a lady visible, and Gaines, as the two stood by the yard then Bob and Joe knew enough to leave the deneon and his son to themselves. The young men walked off arm in arm, but they were back again

before the day was over. The deacon's face was a trifle serious, but not exactly cloudy, and before long he managed to get Joe Gaines off by himself for a bit of private conver-

nonsense, but, then, he can't have "And so, Joe," he said, "you and the rest knew all about this matter of Scott's some time ago?" "Well, ves. Irene told me in confidence, and then, when they wrote and told Scott how matters were here, he wrote to congratulate us, and begged us not to spoil his surprise to you.

We couldn't tell after all that, you you're a young one yet, and I'll give you the fattest fee you ever dreamed of if you'll only hitch teams with me scott, for she's brought him a big Khow. ranche and a mine; but what am I to placey first-rate-I allers did like Bob Humphrey first rate-and now it can't

"Oh, no! not a bit," interrupted Joe. "Bob is a good fellow, and he made a better match, and we think "Irene and you?" exclaimed the

And assistance rendered settlers in proving up to be wonderfully thick, and he writ trene that I can't afford to lose my fee. What kind of men we Americans shall He did not live long enough to pay done that, but I'll let you up."

take hold and try and keep Bob off till rather be inclined to say you had, and have become the foundation of great conscience, though slumbering in this "I don't know," said Joe, "there's about it, and so the deacan good hu- covered by our stars and stripes. No come? Maggie and her mother. I couldn't moredly consented to the marriage of other nation has ever spread over so If any man wants hard money pay particular attention to Irene with- Joe and Irene, while every body pres- large a territory or so diversified a sur- him get it dishonestly and he will find out their knowing it. And Bob Hum- ent at the double wedding, which face as ours, From the low, scawashed it the hardest money that he ever saw

## One Thing at a Time.

"Why, so long as it's only tun, and a time is attempted. Many active, en- nose by reason of the rarity of the air. grammar until I could bear it no longall that, I'll go ahead, but if it seems ergetic people suffer their lives to Again, in Maine, half the farmer's year er, and going to my father, told him I as if I'm doing any harm, I'm to be at waste, simply because they are with- is spent in accumulating supplies for did not like study, and asked him for "Well, I don't mind, so long as you are busy and fassy, and fidgetty, and northern states the preparation for his wishes, and he was quick in his And so the deacon and the lawyer plans and projects; but while agoniz- lives; but in San Francisco the winter "Well, John," said he, "if Latin discussed their plot to their satisfacting with the pains partarition, they is the pleasantest part of the year. In grammar does not suit you, you may tion, and when all was settled the lat-ter took his way down the bread and ance to birth. They should recollect ful to build fire-places, and scarcely meadow yonder needs a ditch, and you grass-grown street of the village.

"The old shark," he muttered, as he strolled lessurely on. "What on earth sis, after the order of steps ascending reading the same books, holding a single than to make the same language, and saled the saled the same language, and saled the saled the same language, and saled the saled

fell to Mr. Read. It was such a queer passage that the artists-Frankenstien, The. Jones, and Kellogg-all looked at Read; as much as to say, "Now you've schemes had any power over her or got a puzzler!" In a few moments the her happiness. Moreover, through it poet-artist finished his sketch. "What have you got, Read?" they

several days Phil, and Read run the big dinner to the honor of the poet, At this dinner were the wit, blood, nings in the "Morning Call," each struggling to say the best thing. After a few courses and Phil, had

get a good trade. "Now." said the poet (holding the can't remember anything longer than about seven days. ry done, but I propose to fill sherry done." (Phil. Sheridan). Then he handed the decanter to the waiter.

Speaking of Kerby Smith's defeat of "How?" asked Sheridan. "Why, because he found a little

buying Frankenstien's Niagara.

The "Ride" was the agony in Cincinheard the poet read it.

ing the poet the book. compliments.

body made the remark to Mrs. Pugh. than a full moon.

The "Great American Desert," of the iron horse; coal and iron are it, and when that is reached the crash is might have caused him trouble. found to abound on the plains as soon greater for the severity of the strain. try, you will see corn, wheat, potatoes ing: "I found your dollars lost in the I think that Maggie couldn't have luxuriantly, with the help of culture hard dollars to me, and I can carry tract, long supposed to be worthless. them and ask your forgiveness, and as needs only skillful treatment to be- soon as I can I will pay the interest." come valuable.

## The Science of Advertising.

doing at all, it is worth doing well.

times from ever coming.

of your business, set aside a liberal per-

centage for advertising. Keep your-

self unceasingly before the public; and

public-spirited men of the community.

Honosty the Best Policy

John Adams.

Judicious advertising always pays. If you have a good thing, advertise If you baven't don't. Large type isn't necessary in adver-

Once at the meeting of the Cincin- run out. Never run down vonr opponent's give out practical texts from Longfel- goods in public. Let him do his own It binds industry with its film, as a fly

Let your advertisements have something of the dash in them, without "And every house was an lan, where each great exaggeration, guest was welcomed and feasted."

You can't eat enor tise on that plan either.

place of newspaper advertisements. "And every house was an inn," he let the line fall in the right place. what they see rather than what they

While in New Orleans Sheridan inutter, here and there, in his keen ap- vited Read to come and see him. For

toasted the historian of the "Ride," Read leaned forward and took hold of an empty decenter of sherry. decanter bottom upward), "this is sher-

ty in the world. Banks and capture of his sutler's supplies and camp chests, Read said Smith was like Pharaoh's daughter. soon melt under it like rock salt.

profit in the rushes on the banks!" Once Probasco, and Jo Longworth, and Groesbeck, or some of those rich galleries, askeb Read's advice about

"Why, yes, "says Read, "if I had the money I'd go by it right off." Once the poet was dining at the writer's sister's, in Cincinnati. The hand-gently and industriously pursued, a some General Hooker was there, with fortune will be the result. his uniform all begrimmed with smoke on the same side was the homely Sher- bors, but he may at once be reckoned once and broke a saucer-smiled again, and smash went a plate-and Mrs.

replied Read, as quietly as if he had them in a slight snow. Long and fruit- but he has mashed his guitar to pieces. not paid Mrs. Lander the sweetest of less was the search for them. After the snow the search was renewed with

J. I. HALES,

Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler.

No. 80 Main Street,

Kinds, but in vain did Bob Hamphrey invite or propose; the young lawyer, was sure to be beforehand with him.

Kinds but in vain did Bob Hamphrey invite or propose; the young lawyer, was sure to be beforehand with him.

Kinds but in vain did Bob Hamphrey invite or propose; the young lawyer, well done makes the next lighter. The connecticut, will be brought forward in the legislature of that state in a few A return

## Henry Ward Beecher on Interest.

lowing by Henry Ward Beecher: "No blister draws sharper than in tising. Blind folks do not read news- terest does. Of all industries, none

is comparable to that of interest. It Don't be afraid to invest in printer's works day and night in fair weather ink, lest your sands of life be nearly and foul. It has no sound in its footsteps, but travels fast. It gnaws a man's substance with invisible teeth. is bound in a spider's web. rolls a man over and over, binding him hand and foot, and letting him hang on the fatal mesh until the long You can't eat enough in one week to legged interest devours him. There

hist you a whole year, you can't adver- is no crop that can afford to pay interest on money on a farm. It's as true of advertiseing as of any- There is but one thing raised on a thing else in the world-if it is worth farm like it and that the Canadian thisloing at all, it is worth doing well.

Hand-bills and circulars are good of time you bleed the roots, whose blosto a man who has been dead over six their kind, but they cannot take the soms are prolific and every one the years. father of a million of seeds. Every Injudicious advertising is like fishing leaf is an awl, every branch is a spear, where there is no fish. You need to and every single plant like a platoon let the line fall in the right place. of bayonets, and a field full of them like No bell can ring so loudly as a good an armed host. The whole plant is a advertisement. People will believe torment and a curse. And yet a farmer had better make his bed of Canadian thistles, than attempt to lie at ease

upon interest." Small advertisements, and plenty of them is a good rule. We were all babies once, yet we made considerable No man ever became a drunkard, lived a drunkard's life, died a drunk-When you advertise, see that you do and's death and filled a drunkard's it on the same principle that you buy grave, as a matter of free choice. No one ever became an excessive drinker who did not begin a moderate, a very We don't recommend advertising as moderate drinker. If it were the the best way to get a good wife, but habit of all not to take the first step we do know that it is the best way to and thus not become moderate drinkers, the unatterable horrors and woe, People who advertise only once in the destruction and crime, which rethree months forget that most tolks sults from this master evil of intemperance would cease. Wives and children and friends and communities If you can arouse curiosity by an ad- would not mourn over loved ones thus vertisement, it is a preat point gained. The fair sex don't hold all the curiosidishonored and lost. But it is the habit of drinking becoming the law of their being and their daily life, the A constant dropping will wear a lack of resisting power resulting from this terrible thraidom, the fever of ment upon the pudlic and they will habitual temptation and appetite, which causes that yearly death march Quitting advertising in dull times is of sixty thousand of our people to the

## According to the character or extent orphaned children.

A Lafavette lover seated himself on a barrel turned on its side while sereeestacy he rolled the barrel over, slammed his guitar against a shutter disappeared in the cistern. The bubeistern, and then the bull-dog went for

Stamp Duties

but I love the sinner." On this inci- er father of a family in similar circum- medicines and the like, are continued. dent Read founded one of his poems .- stances. He, too, knew how much a This is a great relief to the business of Eli Pekins in N. Y. Com. Advertiser. dollar cost dug out of the heart of a the nation, and also to nervous citirocky farm. At least once or oftener zens, who have for years been in conevery week for forty years he had oc- stant tripidation, fearing indictment casion to pass our door, giving and re- for some violation of the stamp laws ceiving the common neighborly sala- through ignorance of forgetfulness. which we schoolboys a quarter of a tations, and every time with a weight. There is scarcely a business man in the century ago saw on the map of North increasingly heavy on his conscience. country who has not at some time comdo with you now? I like Bob Hum- America, has disappeared at the snort But all such pressures have their lim- mitted a two cent depredation which The British colony is shocked at the

land returned solemn thanks to God in St. Paul's Cathedral.

a touching poem, in which the hero is ren of people it will in time become represented as devoured by an alligator one of the most thickly settled portions under a paim tree on the shore of Lake of the globe. Eric in America. The heroine hears of the terrible fate of her lover down banks of Lake Superior, where she is Eric and lays in wait for that crocodile, captures him, cuts him open, expurchases a rich coffin and has him interred in magnificent style in Green wood cemetery in New York, in the state of St. Louis. The poem is truly

The comment of a colored preacher on the text, "It is more blessed to give than to receive," is inimitable for its point as well as eloquence. "I've known many a church to die 'cause it didn't give enough; but I never knowed a church to die 'cause it gave too much. Dev don't die dat way. Brederen, has any of you knowed a church to die 'cause it give too much? If you do, just let me know, and I'll make a pilgrimage to dat church, and I'll climb by de light of de moon to its ass-covered roof, and I'll stand dar

quette to return these cards to the vis. ionable; Eichfield and Sharon quiet

There are but three steamboats on the navigable rivers of Mexico.

To be dextoreous in danger is a virtue, but to court danger is a weakness. Vermont brasts that half the slate

The entire police force of a city in Connecticut resigned recently in a body. It consisted of one man.

A telegram was received in Pitts-

photographed in his pulpit, which had been decorated with flowers for the oc-

There is talk of shipping Cleopatra's needle from Alexandria to England, in order to erect it on the Thames embankment.

A volume of poems by a servant girl, who is known as the "Rose of Avondale," is shortly to be published in England.

herself upon the world with her whole stock in trade consisting of 2,000 photographs of herself.

An Arkansas man had the invitations to his tin wedding printed on square sheets of the metal which were duly enclosed in envelopes.

A wealthy man in Pike county, Ind., recently died, having left his property to all the widows within a radious of eight miles from his residence,

city do not either work or play. Romeo was a self-made elephant. He came to this country without a dol-

lar in his trunk; took Greeley's advice, went west, and died worth \$40,000. The Memphis papers say that the ground of a circus exhibiting in that city evinces the agility of a cat, and the

worth and power who never loved a The people of Worcester, Mass. have so little reverence for the dead

Fully resolved to have a cold-water governor, the prohibitionists of Michis gan have nominated Henry Fish for that office. The campaign is said to be going on swimmingly

A Virginia paper says: "The Governor is about to commission 400 colonels of militia, that being the number of Virginians over twenty-one who have no titles already." An old lady who inquired for the

of "six dollar Vardens," A Boston paper states that several quarts of yest buttons were found on the floor of one of the public halls in that city after a humorous lecture had

A house built on sand is, in fair

been delivered the previous evening.

South Africa diamond fields is the dis-

Mr. Sommer has been charged with in the everglades of Florida, near the vindictiveness, and his speech seems to sustain the charge; but does not its living, and rushes down south to Lake delivery also prove that he has the quality of forgiveness? His speech was made in the interest of the partitracts the hones of her dead lover, sans of "Bully Brooks," who nearly took his life in the senate chamber. Mr. Clarance King thus criticises a

> laim to another: "No, I can't blasoheme worth a cuss. You'd just orter hear Pete Green. He can exhort the impenitent mule team to renounce all flesh and hand thirty-one thousand through a foot of clay mud under one

> in print is worth paying for, and when printed is generally as good as any other investment of the same amount. East Boston Advocate.

Newport is the most aristocratic of It is eti- stogs the most cosmopolitan and fashionable, and a trifle shortly; New Loudon exclusive; and Cape May most

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City Treasurer—Charles A. Phillip.
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City Clerk—Geo. S. Henry.
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### THE RIVER PATH.

pear in the latter's stead. BY JOHN G. WHITTIER No bird song floated down the hill, The tangled bank below was still; No rustle from the kirchen stem, No ripple from the water's hem. The dask of twilight round as grew, We felt the falling of the dew.

For, from us, ere the day was done The wooded hills shut out the sun. But on the river's farther side With us the damp, the chill, the gloom; With them the sauset's rosy bloom.

From out the darkness where we trod We gazed upon those hills of God; Whose light seemed not of moon or sun, We spoke not, but our thought was one. We paused, as if from that bright shore Beckoned our dear ones gone before; And stilled our besting hearts to hear The voices lost to morial ear! Sudden our pathway turned from night; Through the gates the sun-hine showed, Λ long, slam splendor downward flowed

Down glade and glen and bank it rolled; It bridged the shaded stream with gold; And borne on piers of mist, allied The shadowy with the smallt slide! "So," prayed we, "when our feet drew near The river, dark with mortal fear, "And the night comoth chill with dew, O, Father!—let thy light break through 'So let the hills of doubt divide, So bridge with faith the sunless tide! "So let the eyes that fall on earth On thy elemal hills look forth;

"And in thy beckonings angels know." The dear ones whom we loved below!" THE DEACON'S PLOT. A reasonably good man was Deacon coach, but a private hired carriage, Dilsep, as the times went, but if he heavy with trunks and packages, bore had a weakness it was for making Scott Dilsep to the door of his father's things in general go about as he want- house. ed them to. Not an everbearing man by any means, and most certainly not full of those who awaited him, but a violent one, but with wonderful cute when the deacon's tall, sun-burned and quiet ways of his own, by which and bushy bearded son sprang out uphe brought matters about without let- on the grass, he turned his back to the | Cincinnatians who have splendid art

in his judgment, something deep relittle difficulty in selecting his tools and assistants, and he had no need of counsellors. That was how he came

"Why, deacon," said Joe, "I always thought you liked Bob Humphrey. He is a tip-top fellow, and a good match for any girl I know of." "So he is, so he is," said the deacon. "I can't say a word against him. Knew him from a boy. Can't forbid him the house, or any of that sort of

"I don't see how you'll help it, deacon. You're only her guardian, and she is about of age." "Not for a year-that's how the will reads-and she's in my own home, you know. I guess I can fix some things, especially if you'll turn in and help me. You're a lawyer, Joe Gaines, but

and see that Bob Humphrey don't get "Well, if that's what you're after, so it's all right and square. I'd as lief earn a fee one way as another. What's your

to keep irene safe for him. They used deacon. "Do they correspond now?" "No, not now. There's the rub. That's one reason I'm looking out so sharp for Bob. Now, I want you to Scott gets back. "Twon't be for long. Irene ain't so had company, anyhow."

I have the whole village talking the coupl

There was always a spendid boyishings at the deacon's house, when the ness about Mr. Read. In life he was the life and light of every circle which it. hugged himself with satisfaction as he his presence graced. His sparkling pans are the stock in trade of the Cincinnati clubs, and his witty repartees are the talk in American literary and

army circles. nati sketch club it was customary to low, Whittier, or Tennyson to be illus- advertising. trated by the artists. On one occasion the lines from Evangeline-

repeated, and then held up a picture of young lawyer also found that his prac- Crestline, with two trains arriving. tice had undergene a very sensible in- while everybody was ringing bells, crease caused mainly by the warm, whanging gongs, and crying dinner,

town, and then the general got up a homestead the welcome news that its | and beauty of the Crescent City. Puns, absent hope and heir would shortly repartee, and saucy anecdote held car- goods. Get the most you can for the return. There were letters from Scott nival. It was Wallack and Miss Jen-

nati then, so they asked Read to read it. Mrs. Lander said she had never

Once Read was dining in company the same result. The snow fell and suming a great deal of wine. Some- a poor man in those days was larger cepting on bank checks and drafts.

The Great American Desert. be Scott, I don't see's I out to interfere. as the railroad kings have need of in this instance it was as when an old it; but then you see there ain't no ful, and at Humboldt Wells, on the limbs in falling.

I told her so at the beginning, and she be when all these now desolate plains the interest, but quite long enough to said I must earn it. Seems to me I've are filled, when cities shall be found furnish a practical comment on the where now only the lonely depot or text: "The spirit of a man will sus-"Done it!" exclaimed the deacon, the indifferent cabin stands; when the taln his infirmity, but a wounded spir-"Well, yes, Joe; on the whole, I should | iron and the coal of these regions shall | it who can bear?" Who will say that But there was no use of getting mad perhaps, the whole continent will be offender in this life, or the life to phrey will be sure to be around most shortly took place, said that Bob Hum- shore of the Atlantic your journey -hard to keep, hard to think of, and of the time, and it won't be long before phrey and Maggie were a very pretty carried you to boundless plains which hard to answer for in the judgment is nearly as high as the sammit of Mt. day. The deacon has decided that, as a Washington. Americans are digging "Never mind that, Joe, never mind plotter, he is not a success, especially silver ore in Colorado, three thousand that. It will be all right when Scott when women and lawyers are his op- feet higher than the highest point of the White mountains. At Virginia John Adams, the father of John City, one of the busiest centres of gold Quincy Adams, used to say, "When I mining, travelers find it hard to draw was a boy I had to study the Latin A great many things may be well and many persons, when they first ar- My father was anxious to send me to done, provided that only one thing at rive there, suffer from bleeding at the college, and therefore I studied the out method of any kind. True, they the other and frozen half; all over the other employment. It was opposing full to the bursting with all manner of winter is an important part of our answer." put it into his plotting head to pitch toward the summit of a pyramid. common religion, paying taxes to the found ditching harder than Latin, and

Where I will keep constantly on hand a good assortment of Saddles, Draft and carriage flarness to the pretty beicess, to which be accomplished without hard work, sortment of Saddles, Draft and carriage flarness, to the pretty beicess, to which be accomplished without hard work. They sortment of Saddles, Draft and carriage flarness to the pretty beicess, to which be accomplished without hard work. It is said that Johann Strauss and that Johann Strauss and to be bribed by the deacon's promised shrink from contest with difficulty or Offenbach were formerly intimate questions. to be bribed by the deacon's promised shrink from contest with difficulty or Offenbach were formerly intimate mar. hardship. They run for refuge to the friends in Vienna; but some mouths the was glad of it, and if I have iters, it being presumable that the ex. and select; Lake George select and the trade, which I will self afthe very lowest rates, or exchange for greenbacks, treasury notes or fractional currency. I am also prepared to do all kinds of carriage trimming in short or der. Repairs promptly attended to for half cash in hand, the balance in twenty years' time, with full not be sent for green and select; take the cash, or exchange for greenbacks, treasury for greenbacks, tre ago they had a difficulty, and Strauss since gained any distinction, it has pense'is too great for general distribu- substantial; Narraganeett genteel, fash-

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How many people in the country have found out the truth of the fol-

like tearing out a dam because the wa- saddest of all graves, followed as ter is low. Either plan will prevent good mourners by half a million of worse than widowed wives, and worse than

### A Lover.

nading his heart's mistress. In his The man who advertises shows not from ninety canons at Nashville; and only a business talent above his neigh- in his efforts to regain his balance, and man, whom Mark Twain said smiled among the independent, generous and bling cry of the strong swimmer in his ists in the heart. They only deny its agony brought out the entire family, He who hides his light under a bushel, including the bull-dog, in various brief General Lander, whose gailant Fred when such advantages as those at pres- and picturesque costumes, ranging all had given up a general's life at Rich ent afforded are so freely offered him, the way from a robe de nuit and curl papers, worn by the innocent cause of it all, to a simple yet serviceable collar that they use one of the cemeteries as a ornamented with spikes, worn by the buil-dog. He was fished out of the My father was a poor man. A large "Now do read it, Mr. Read—do favor Mrs. Lander!" urged my sister, hand-him for its daily bread. Coming from never took refuge in the first "shea neighboring town with ten hard- bang" he encountered. He doesn't go "I wish I did favor Mrs. Lander!" earned dollars in his pocket, he lost for the girl quite so heavily as he did,

with Mr. and Mrs. Senator George melted again for a whole generation, By a late act of congress all stamp duty on business papers are abolished, General Nye and Mr. Webster, for con- our family circle, for a silver dollar to to take effect on August 1st, 1872, ex-The stamp duties on tobacco, liquors, when she replied: "I do hate the sin, About half a mile away lived anoth- beer and proprietary articles, patent

You've carned your fee, and I'll pay them; the very desert becomes fruit- oak rends its body and breaks its behavior of the Prince of Wales, who, after taking the princess to see an in-Central Pacific railroad, in the midst One day, completely broken down, decent play at the Varieties theatre, weak and another strong. - Anon. of the sage brush and the alkali coun- he came to my father in tears, confess- afterward drove with her to the notorious Jardin Mabille, the home of and Maggie are just suited. Irene and and fruits of different kinds growing snow forty years ago. They have been the cancan. No respectable working- just secured a position as school teachman would think of taking his wife to er upon the following certificate: "This and irrigation, proving that this vast them no longer. I am come to return the place, and before the war there is to certify that Tamar Noves stands was an outery in the papers because on a medium with other girls of her some members of the Corps Legislatif age and sex, and, for what I know, is The scene was like that when Jacob had been seen there. This is the man as good as folks in general." for whose recovery from a dangerous illness the nobility and gentry of Eng-

and I'll lift op my hands to heaven and say, 'Blessed are de dead dat die in de on me for his tool? He never was more half decent to me before, but the first thing to be done to half decent to me before, but the fair and square with Bob Humbler. What would freme say if she only knew what was ap? Wouldn't those black eyes of her's strike fire?"

As a rule, the first thing to be done to have done for this tool? He never was is that of immediate, present duty. It is that of immediate, p Now, it happened that of late, un-known, perhaps to the decon, there to do. The will has imperial force in think you, will be the American of "I dag the next for noon, and want-is written on the right-hand lower corhad been growing up more than a lit-the close growing up more than a lit-the close so of intimacy between Joe themselves, and so far as they can, all climes, of so various a range as to al-the close and Home themselves, and so far as they can, all climes, of so various a range as to al-themselves, and so far as they can, all climes, of so various a range as to al-Gaines and Humphrey, and thus it was treachery to his friend as well as nufferences to the pretty heiress, to which the accomplished without hard work.

Tour very stupid brother, "Tour very stupid brother, "Tou pride, and I told my father one of the and pays his respects," etc., etc., the our summer resorts; Long Branch the sweetest lessons of my life-that, if he words "Your stapid" taking the place most democratic and promisenous; Sar-

Four-afths of the 10,000 teachers in Massachusetts are women.

Adllar in

Men, like books, have at each end a blank leaf-childhood and ofd age.

pencils used in the world are made in the Green Mountain state.

A Michigan clergyman had himself

A good-looking Buffalogirl embarks

A correspondent writes to a Boston paper to complain that the fountains in one of the public squares of that

fearlessness of a double-headed tiger. Real fidelity may be rare, but it ex-

base ball ground and pasture for goats, hogs, and chickens.

"dollar Varden hat" went away sorrowing when the clerk told her that they were just out, but he had plenty

weather, just as good as if built on a rock. A cobweb is as good as the mightiest cable when there is no strain on it. It is trial that proves one thing

covery that the Cape country is one of the richest agricultural regions in the A German poet has recently written world. From a country almost har-

> as well as any other business, and no paper succeeds financially that carries on a dead-head system. Any mention of the people's affairs they wish to see

he went and hung it on a tree. How- at the time, and the man, after rolling admission to the bar : "I hereby cer-was quite unable to give any reason esty was above reproach; and bis ex-